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1. The 6th Polish Infantry Division has its headquarters at Krakow and has the field post number JM-2458. The command headquarters is located at ul. Podchorazych No. 1.
2. The Division is under the command of the following officers:
 - a. Colonel Mikhail Siennicki, Division Commander. He is a Soviet officer and is known as "the Terrorist" because of his campaign against the Ukrainian underground army during the summer of 1947.
 - b. Lt. Colonel Filip Zolyniak, Deputy Commander and Politruk (Political Education Officer).
 - c. Lt. Colonel Jozef Walpern, Division Chief of Staff.
3. The 6th Infantry Division was at one time known by the name "Pomorska" because of its wartime duty in the vicinity of Kolberg (Kolobrzeg), Pomerania. Each regiment bears the name "Kolobrzanski". The full Polish name of the Division is "6ta Pomorska Dywizja Piechoty" (6th Pomeranian Infantry Division).
4. The 6th Infantry Division is composed of the following units:
 - a. 14th Infantry Regiment, headquarters at Nowy Sacz, south of Krakow, commanded by Lt. Colonel Jan Tarwid.
 - b. 16th Infantry Regiment, headquarters at ul. Mazowiecka, Krakow, commanded by Lt. Colonel Wacław Cimura.
 - c. 18th Infantry Regiment, headquarters at Wadowice, west of Krakow, commanded by Lt. Colonel Marcin Powaterak.
 - d. 23rd Artillery Regiment (motorized), headquarters at Biala Krakowska, west of Wadowice, commanded by Lt. Colonel Pawel Bole (only pre-war Polish officer commanding a regiment in this Division).

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- e. 5th Anti-tank Artillery Battalion, headquarters at Jaworzno, north of Krakow, commanded by Major Witold Fiorticki.
 - f. 13th Engineer Battalion, headquarters at Krakow, commanded by Major Wladyslaw Klat.
 - g. 7th Signal Company, headquarters on ul. Mazowiczka, Krakow, commanded by Captain Edmund Nowicki.
 - h. One transportation company located at Krakow.
5. The morale of the 6th Infantry Division is at present at a very low level, and all units are understood to be at approximately half strength, the entire complement of the Division numbering approximately 4500 men.

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